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Application No: 09/243,237

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### REQUEST FOR PARTICIPATION AT ORAL HEARING BY TELEPHONE CONFERENCE

### 1. Participation by Telephone

The undersigned counsel of record hereby requests that the appellant be afforded an opportunity to participate in the Oral Hearing by telephone conference.

#### 2. REASONS

Prior to the mailing date of the Notice of Hearing, the appellant had made plans to attend meetings with customers at overseas locations. If such meetings cannot be rescheduled, the applicant would nevertheless like to attend the hearing by telephone conference call. If such meetings can be rescheduled, then the applicant plans to attend the oral hearing in person.

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#### 3. TERM FOR REQUEST

The Notice of Hearing was mailed on November 23, 2005, and the term for filing a response is twenty one days from that date.

#### 4. HEARING ATTENDANCE CONFIRMED

The undersigned counsel for appellant hereby confirms attendance at the oral hearing, regardless of whether the appellant is able to attend in person or only by telephone conference.

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